

Certified Local Government Professional Qualifications (36 CFR Part 61):  
**History Professional Qualifications**

Local Government \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Commissioner ☐ Staff ☐  
(Name of Commissioner or Staff)

Date of Appointment: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Term Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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Alternative A

☐ MA or PhD in History

or

☐ MA/MS or PhD in CRF

\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

Alternative B1

☐ BA in History

or

☐ BA in CRF

\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

and

- ☐ Two years full-time experience in history (check appropriate boxes below and attach explanation and dates)
- \_\_\_\_ research
- \_\_\_\_ writing
- \_\_\_\_ teaching
- \_\_\_\_ interpretation
- \_\_\_\_ other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ With a professional institution

\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify institution)

- \_\_\_\_ academic institution
- \_\_\_\_ historical org./agency
- \_\_\_\_ museum
- \_\_\_\_ other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Alternative B2

☐ BA in History

or

☐ BA in CRF

\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

and

- ☐ Substantial contribution through research and publication to body of scholarly knowledge in history (attach explanation)

To meet the standards in this discipline you must be able to check either a big box or a big circle, and check all the smaller boxes under that alternative. One year = 12 months. Full-time = 35-40 hours per week. A year of professional experience need not consist of a continuous year of full-time work, but may be made up of discontinuous periods of full-time or part-time work adding up to the equivalent period. CRF = Closely Related Field; field closely related to this or other discipline in historic preservation (Urban or Regional Planning, American Studies, Historic Preservation, Art History, Architecture, Material Culture, Landscape Architecture, or Folklore). Coursework should be evaluated if discipline itself is not always or obviously related.

Certified Local Government Professional Qualifications (36 CFR Part 61):  
**Architectural History Professional Qualifications**

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Alternative A

- ☐ MA or PhD in Architectural History
- or
- ☐ MA/MS or PhD in Art History, Historic Preservation or CRF
- \_\_\_\_\_
- (specify field)
- and

- ☐ Coursework in American Architectural History (list courses or attach listing)
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

Alternative B1

- ☐ BA in Architectural History
- or
- ☐ BA in Art History, Historic Preservation or CRF
- \_\_\_\_\_
- (specify field)
- and

- ☐ Two years full-time experience in American architectural history or restoration (check appropriate boxes below and attach explanation and dates)
- ☐ With a professional institution
- \_\_\_\_\_
- (specify institution)
- \_\_\_ academic institution
- \_\_\_ historical org./agency
- \_\_\_ museum
- \_\_\_ other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Alternative B2

- ☐ BA in Architectural History
- or
- ☐ BA in Art History, Historic Preservation or CRF
- \_\_\_\_\_
- (specify field)
- and

- ☐ Substantial contribution through research and publication to body of scholarly knowledge in American architectural history (attach explanation)

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Alternative A

- ☐ Professional degree in Architecture  
and
- ☐ At least two years full-time professional experience in  
architecture (attach explanation)

Alternative B

- ☐ State license to practice architecture  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify state(s))

To meet the standards in this discipline you must be able to check both boxes under Alternative A or the box under Alternative B. Note that professional degree means a five-year or graduate degree. One year = 12 months. Full-time = 35-40 hours per week. A year of professional experience need not consist of a continuous year of full-time work, but may be made up of discontinuous periods of full-time or part-time work adding up to the equivalent period.

Certified Local Government Professional Qualifications (36 CFR Part 61):  
**Historic Architecture Professional Qualifications**

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Alternative A

- ☐ Professional degree in Architecture  
and  
☐ At least one year of graduate study in Architectural Preservation, American Architectural History, Preservation Planning, or CRF  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

Alternative A2

- ☐ Professional degree in Architecture  
and  
☐ At least one year of full-time professional experience in historic preservation projects, including detailed investigations of historic structures, preparation of historic structures research reports, preparation of plans and specifications for preservation projects (attach explanation)

Alternative B1

- ☐ State license to practice architecture  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify state(s))  
and  
☐ At least one year of graduate study in Architectural Preservation, American Architectural History, Preservation Planning, or CRF  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

Alternative B2

- ☐ State license to practice architecture  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify state(s))  
and  
☐ At least one year of full-time professional experience in historic preservation projects, including detailed investigations of historic structures, preparations of historic structures research reports, preparation of plans and specifications for preservation projects (attach explanation)

To meet the standards in this discipline you must be able to check all the boxes under one of the alternatives. Note that a professional degree means a five-year or graduate degree. One year = 12 months. Full-time = 35-40 hours per week. A year of professional experience need not consist of a continuous year of full-time work, but may be made up of discontinuous periods of full-time or part-time work adding up to the equivalent period. CRF = Closely Related Field; field closely related to this or other discipline in historic preservation (Urban or Regional Planning, American Studies, Historic Preservation, Art History, Architecture, Material Culture, Landscape Architecture, or Folklore). Coursework should be evaluated if discipline itself is not always or obviously related.

Certified Local Government Professional Qualifications (36 CFR Part 61):  
**Prehistoric Archeology Qualifications**

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Alternative A

☐ MA/MS or PhD in Archeology or Anthropology or CRF

\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

and

☐ At least one year full-time professional experience or equivalent specialized training in archeological research, administration, or management (attach explanation)

and

☐ At least four months of supervised field and analytic experience in general North American archeology (attach explanation)

and

☐ Demonstrated ability to carry research to completion (attach explanation)

and

☐ At least one year of full-time experience at a supervisory level in the study of archeological resources of the prehistoric period (attach explanation)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(specify field)

and

☐ At least one year full-time professional experience or equivalent specialized training in archeological research, administration, or management (attach explanation)

and

☐ At least four months of supervised field and analytic experience in general North American archeology (attach explanation)

and

☐ Demonstrated ability to carry research to completion (attach explanation)

and

☐ At least one year of full-time experience at a supervisory level in the study of archeological resources of the historic period (attach explanation)

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